GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
HEALTH AND FAMILY WELFARE
LOK SABHA

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CONVERSION OF CENTRAL INDIAN PHARMACOPOEIA LABORATORY
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Will the Minister of HEALTH AND FAMILY WELFARE be pleased to state:

(a) whether the Government proposes to convert the Central Indian Pharmacopoeia Laboratory (CIPL), Ghaziabad into an autonomous body like Indian Pharmacopoeia Commission (IPU);

(b) if so, the details thereof and the reasons therefor;

(c) whether interests of employees working in CIPL are likely to suffer after it is converted into commission; and

(d) if so, the steps being taken by the Government to safeguard the interests of employees?

Answer

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF HEALTH AND FAMILY WELFARE (SMT. PANABAKA LAKSHMI)

(a) to (d): Formation of Indian Pharmacopoeia Commission (IPC) and using the existing facilities of Central Indian Pharmacopoeia Laboratory (CIPL), Ghaziabad for this purpose, is under consideration of Ministry of Health and Family Welfare and no final decision has been taken as yet.